

Claims.

1. A stationary exercise bicycle comprising:  
a frame comprising a front socket, a rear socket, and a down tube  
coupling the front socket to the rear socket; and  
5 a deflector coupled to the front socket extending toward the down tube for preventing damage to the bicycle caused by corrosive sweat falling from a rider.
  
2. The stationary exercise bicycle according to claim 1 further comprising a flywheel casing disposed proximate the down tube, wherein the casing substantially encapsulates working parts of the bicycle for preventing damage to the bicycle caused by corrosive sweat falling from a rider.  
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3. The stationary exercise bicycle according to claim 1 further comprising wheels coupled to the frame for ease of portability.  
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4. The stationary exercise bicycle according to claim 1 wherein the down tube is mounted directly to the rear socket.
  
  
5. The stationary exercise bicycle according to claim 1 wherein the  
20 down tube is rectangular in shape.
  
  
6. The stationary exercise bicycle according to claim 1 wherein the deflector is a unitary plastic member.

7. The stationary exercise bicycle according to claim 1 wherein the deflector is mounted underneath a front fork triangle extending from the front socket.